

REMARKS

Applicants canceled claims 2, 19, and 32.

Applicants amended claims 1, 18, and 31 to correct a grammatical error, changing "is" to "are". Applicants made further punctuation corrections to claim 31.

Applicants amended claims 3, 8, 10, 13, 15, 17, 20, 23, 25, 28, 30, 33, 36, 38, 40, 43, 45, and 47 to change "data" to "image data" to conform to the Examiner amendments to the base claims changing "data" to "image data" on pg. 6 of the Examiner's Amendment submitted with the Notice of Allowance.

Applicants request the Examiner to enter these amendments as they do not alter the scope of the claims.

In the statement of reasons for allowance the Examiner provided various reasons for allowance. Applicants will not specifically address or respond herein to the issues/points raised by the Examiner in the Examiner's provided remarks. However, this should not necessarily be viewed as constituting acquiescence by Applicants as to the correctness of some or all of the Examiner's provided remarks.

Applicants submit that no new claims or new matter has been added to the application. Nonetheless, should any additional fees be required, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3669.

The attorney of record invites the Examiner to contact him at (310) 553-7977 if the Examiner believes such contact would advance the prosecution of the case.

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